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1. As of 1948, the Soviet Air Force Special Purpose Division (Diviziya Osobogo Naznacheniya) was headed by Lt. General Grachev (fnu), Hero of the Soviet Union, the former personal pilot for Iosif Stalin. The Special Purpose Division was responsible for the air transportation of Soviet VIPs and other special trips, i.e., travel of foreign VIPs. The division was stationed somewhere in the vicinity of Moscow.
 2. Lt. General Grachev was a personal friend of Colonel Nikolay Yefimovich Dolmatov, who in turn was a close personal friend of Colonel General Sergey A. Goglidze, who was purged with Beriya. Dolmatov once gave a dinner in honor of Mrs. Goglidze and her daughter.
 3. Lt. General Grachev's wife was chairman of a raysovet in Moscow. Both she and Lt. General Grachev have been married twice..

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